

Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 1, line 4, with the following rewritten paragraph:

--This application is a continuation of U.S. patent application Serial No. 10/072,911, filed February 12, 2002, now allowed, which is a divisional of U.S. Serial No. 09/506,477 now U.S. Patent No. 6,398,765, issued June 4, 2002. This application claims the benefit of each of the following provisional applications under 37 CFR §1.78: 60/122,076, filed March 1, 1999; 60/134,613, filed on May 18, 1999; 60/143,476, filed on July 12, 1999; 60/143,359, filed on July 12, 1999; and 60/170,997, filed on December 14, 1999. The application is also related to non-provisional application [09/473,519] 09/473,510, now U.S. Patent No. 6,413,228, issued on July 2, 2002. The full disclosures of each application are incorporated herein by reference.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 6, line 28 with the following rewritten paragraph:

--Referring to FIG 2B, each probe 44 may be provided with a manually controllable valve 38 or other fluid control element, such as a one-way valve. The valve 38 will allow the user to selectively isolate individual probes 44 at a point between the syringe 40 and the breast. Such isolation is useful in at least two circumstances. First, if one or more probes 44 are not to be used, they may be simply turned off. Thus, to an extent, valve 38 is an alternative to valves or other sealing means which may be provided on the manifold 30. Additionally, the valve 38 may be used when it is desired to remove an infused fluid from the ductal network of the breast. In that case, the valves 38 would be closed, and fluid aspirated or otherwise collected through a collection tube 36 which is attached to a lumen of the probe 44 upstream of the valve, i.e. at a point between the valve and probe tip 32 which is introduced into the orifice of the ductal network. Optionally, the collection tube [38] 36 may also include a valve 37 for isolating the collection tube from the lumen of probe 44. Usually, probe 44 will also include a stop plate or flange 34, as generally described in connection with FIG. 1. --